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In re Application of :
Rao et al. :
Application No. 09/617,608 : DECISION ON
Filed: July 17, 2000 : PETITION
Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM TO :
INTERFACE INTERNET PROTOCOL :
(IP) BASED WIRELESS DEVICES :
AND WIRELESS NETWORKS WITH :
OPTICAL AND OTHER NETWORKS FOR :
IMPROVED FLEXIBILITY, :
PERFORMANCE AND DATA TRANSFER :
RATES :

This is a decision on the petition filed September 30, 2004, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

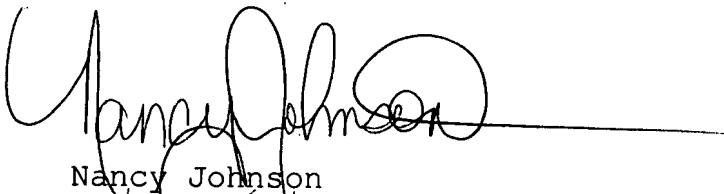
The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to timely file a proper reply to the non-final Office action mailed November 6, 2003. This action set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time were obtained and no reply was filed. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on February 7, 2004. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on September 20, 2004.

Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the above-identified application, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b). Petitioner submitted the required reply in the form of an amendment on September 10, 2004, paid the petition fee, and made the required statement of unintentional delay.

Receipt of the revocation of power of attorney and change of correspondence address filed September 8, 2004 (and change of correspondence address re-supplied October 29, 2004) is acknowledged and made of record.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center 2661 for consideration of the response filed September 10, 2004.

Telephone inquiries related to this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3219.



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